HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 636

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A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Rachel Hicks, 2016 Valedictorian of Spring Hill High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Rachel Hicks is one such exceptional student, who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2016 graduating class at Spring Hill High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Hicks achieved outstanding academic success and joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Rachel Hicks earned an exemplary grade point average while participating in numerous extracurricular activities, including the Beta Club, Health Occupations Students of America, and the National Honor Society; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Hicks's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success as she prepares to continue her studies at Belmont University; and

WHEREAS, her noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Richard and Linda Hicks, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Rachel Hicks's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this General Assembly; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED

NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE

CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2016 Spring Hill High School

Valedictorian, Rachel Hicks, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.